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FOREWORD

It is the Editor's fervent hope that the Index of Blind Mail-Order Business Persons will help the owners of enterprises who are blind in obtaining greater business volume, and that the blind consumers of this country will find it useful to direct some of their purchasing power toward their fellow "handicapped". Perhaps it will also lay the foundations for closer communication and greater understanding among those of us who share similar needs and problems.

The data contained in this first edition was supplied in response to announcements which appeared between April 1 and October 31, 1974, in most of the major Braille, print, and recorded periodicals in the U.S. which are read by the blind or persons who work with them.

Additions and corrections to the annual Index are invited. It is only necessary that the owner of the business be legally blind and willing to offer his goods and/or services by mail-order. Entries submitted prior to Oct. 31st will be incorporated in the next annual edition.



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Individual Large Type (14pp.) and Thermoform-produced Braille (24pp.) copies of the entire Index may be ordered for \$1.00. A recorded reading on tape is also obtainable, without charge, in exchange for a good quality C-60 cassette, or 1200 ft. of open-reel tape.

Orders of the Index, inquiries, correspondence, and additional listings should be addressed to:

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FORMAT AND ABBREVIATIONS

All entries are arranged alphabetically, and no rank order is to be inferred. Yearly revisions will up-date information to insure maximum accuracy.

Information in those entries marked with an asterisk (*) is tentative and probably accurate. These entries did not receive a final verification by their business respondent in time for publication. Non-asterisked entries were verified as accurate.

C/P	Catalog(s) and/or Price List(s) available in _____ (Media)
SASE	Send self-addressed, stamped, large business-size envelope.
Offers	Selection of goods or services available
Pay	Payment accepted in _____ (Cash/check/money order/ stamps--for orders under \$1.00)
All	All of the above
Sample	Available for _____ (price-SASE)
Write	Correspondence and orders accepted in _____ (Braille/print/tape/all)
#	Offered for sale in United States only

IMPORTANT NOTICE

All data contained in the Index was supplied by the business persons involved. It in no way implies an endorsement of the enterprises, their honesty, reliability, dependability, or speed of service by the Cleveland Regional Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped.

AIDS AND APPLIANCES

Games and Toys

S.F.B. Products; 221 Rock Hill Rd.,
Bala-Cynwyd, PA 19004; Thomas Benham,
director. Write: all. C/P: print and
Aud-A-Log record. Pay: all. Offers:
Aud-A-Balls for various sports.

Touch Aids; 1049 Redondo Way,
Hemet, CA 92343; C. & E. Krueger, owners.
Write: Braille, print. C/P: Braille and
print. Pay: all. Offers: Braille/print
games and puzzles for children & adults.

General

Kathy Roberts Co.; P.O. Box 125,
Fallbrook, CA 92028; Robert Brompton,
owner. * Write: print. C/P: print.
Pay: all. Offers: P.M.I.--Portable
Moisture Indicator -- for measuring soil
moisture content.

Touch Aids; 1049 Redondo Way,
Hemet, CA 92343; C. & E. Krueger, owners.
Write: Braille, print. C/P: Braille and
print. Pay: all. Offers: learning aids
-- for Braille and print writing.

Wanis, Mr. Youssef; Apt. 408,
1730 Third Ave., San Diego, CA 92101.

Write: all. Pay: all. Offers: American Abacus for the Blind, plus instructions in large print, Braille, and/or cassette.

Special Technical and Scientific

Fleming Electronics; 1327 Prairie Rd., Colorado Springs, CO 80909; Eugene Fleming, owner. Write: all. C/P: quotation upon request. Pay: all. Offers: wiring of electronic kits; assembly of special electronic aids for the blind.

S.F.B. Products; 221 Rock Hill Rd., Bala-Cynwyd, PA 19004; Thomas Benham, director. Write: all. C.P: print and Aud-A-Log record. Pay: all. Offers: specially adapted electronic measuring equipment and aural read-out devices.

Travel

Crandell, Mr. Walter L.; 7693 Lakeville Highway, Petaluma, CA 94952.
* Write: Braille, print. Pay: all. Offers: metal telescoping canes-- all lengths.

BOOKS

Golden Music Room; 3218 23rd St.,
Columbus, NE 68601; Ms. Penny Golden,
owner. Write: all. C/P: print.
Pay: all. Offers: Christian literature
in print only.

Sun Signs and Scopes; 54 Putnam Rd.,
Somerville, MA 02145; Sal & Isabelle
Grande, owners. Write: print, tape,
C/P: print. Pay: all. Offers: print
books and cassettes on astrology,
meditation, and related subjects.

ALSO SEE "MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTIONS" IN THIS
INDEX.

COLLECTIBLES

Leonard, Mr. Roby C.; R.F.D. 14,
Box 81, Lexington, NC 27292. Write:
Braille, print. C/P: quotations upon
request. Pay: all. Offers: sells,
buys, and/or exchanges coins, medals, and
other numismatic items.

CUSTOM SEWING, KNITTING, CROCHETING

Busy Bee Knitting; 234 Crestridge

Ave., Colorado Springs, CO 80906; Ms. Bernice M. Bartlett, owner. Write: large print, cassette. C/P: quotations upon request, SASE. Pay: check, money order. Offers: stocking hats, toques, mittens, scarves, boots, sweaters, and baby sets - knit to order.

Custom Knitting To Order; 1271 41st Ave., Columbus, NE 68601; Ms. Rita Cunningham, owner. * Write: all. C/P: quotations upon request. Pay: all. Offers: baby-wear, children's and adults' hats, scarves, mittens, afghans.

Decorative Sewing; 3659 Kearney Memphis, TN 38111; Ms. Maggie Warrick, owner. * Write: Braille, Print. C/P: quotations upon request, SASE. Pay: all. Offers: decorative seasonal, local, or historical interests, or personalized designs on aprons, pin-cushions, toss pillows, pillow slips, and head-bands.

Williams, Mr. Robert; 800 East 13th St., Port Arthur, TX 77640. Write: all. C/P: quotations upon request. Pay: all. Offers: crocheting, knitting, and weaving to order.

Wink, Rev. Adelaide E.; 61 S. Lee St., Beverly Hills, Lecanto, FL 32661. Write: Braille, print. C/P: Braille. Pay: check. Offers: Knitted baby sets--

cap and sweater.

ALSO SEE "GIFTS" IN THIS INDEX FOR OTHER
CUSTOM HANDICRAFTS.

GIFTS

Braille Gift Service; c/o Wessian
Distributing, P.O. Box 20015, Cleveland,
OH 44120; Warren Sladky, owner. Write:
all. C/P: Braille -- \$1.00 membership
fee. Pay: all. Offers: selected decor-
ative and utilitarian gifts of quality. #

Bucher, Ms. Jacqueline; Apt. 24,
627 Bernard St., Denton, TX 76201. *
Write: all. C/P: print. Pay: all.
Offers: Shacklee personal grooming and
cosmetic aids; cleaning products, baby
and pet products; food supplements.

Sun Signs and Scopes; 54 Putnam Rd.,
Somerville, MA 02145; Sal & Isabelle
Grande, owners. Write: print, tape.
C/P: print, Pay: all. Offers: zodiac
sign personal accessories.

Unger, Mrs. June M.; Apt. 4-A,
34-11 93rd St., Jackson Heights, NY 11372.
Write: print, tape. C/P: print, or tape
copy on your own C-90 cassette. Pay: all.
Offers: Avon personal grooming and
cosmetic aids.

Vaughn, Mrs. Diane; 1105 Sterling St., Indianapolis, IN 46201. Write: all. C/P: print - Gift 30¢, Jewelry 40¢. Pay: all. Offers: Cheerful House decorative and utilitarian gifts for home, friends; quality jewelry; handicraft items.

Williams, Mr. Alphonso; 701 NW 16th Ct., Pompano Beach, FL 33060. * Write: all. C/P: print. Pay: all. Offers: personal grooming and cosmetic products; cleaning supplies; jewelry; hand-made leather goods.

GREETING CARDS

DiMarzio, Albert & Ruth; 246 Dale Ave., Mansfield, OH 44903. Write: Braille, print. C/P: Braille. Pay: all. Offers: Braille cards -- general and seasonal.

Fribush, Mr. Harry A.; Parkview Apt. 104, 400 Hudson Ave., Albany, NY 12203. Write: all. C/P: Braille. Pay: all. Offers: "Feel and Read, See and Read" Braille and print cards, with or without name imprinted, with or without Scripture texts: general, holiday, and humor.

Vaughn, Mrs. Diane; 1105 Sterling St., Indianapolis, IN 46201. Write: all. C/P: print 30¢. Pay: all. Offers: print cards and wraps -- general and seasonal.

HEARING AID BATTERIES

Wessian Distributing; P.O. Box 20015, Cleveland, OH 44120; Warren Sladky, owner. Write: all. C/P: quotations upon request, stating type and number. Pay: all. Offers: all types at discount.

INFORMATION SERVICES

Foresight Products and Services, Inc.; P.O. Box 2266, Grand Central Station, New York, NY 10017; James R. Jones, secretary. Write: all. C/P: Braille, Offers: information on availability of products and services of interest to the blind.

LABELS

Gummed Mailing

Braille-Label Service; c/o Wessian Distributing, P.O. Box 20015, Cleveland,

OH 44120; Warren Sladky, owner. Write:
all. C/P: Braille. Pay: all. Offers:
blank white labels; "FREE MATTER" stickers.

Di Marzio, Albert & Ruth; 246 Dale
Ave., Mansfield, OH 44903. Write:
Braille, print. C/P: Braille. Pay: all.
Offers: blank white labels.

Sutherland, Mrs. H.D.; 24591 Sunnymead Blvd., Sunnymead, CA 92388.
Write: all. C/P: Braille. Pay: all.
Offers: name-&-address labels; "FREE MATTER" stickers.

Identification

Braille-Label Service; c/o Wessian
Distributing, P.O. Box 20015, Cleveland,
OH 44120; Warren Sladky, owner. Write:
all. C/P and Samples: Braille, kit 50¢.
Pay: all. Offers: Braille-it-yourself--
magnetic, "DYMO"-type, & "Quick-Label"
labelling tapes; file cards and "Quick-
Note" paper rolls; sock sorters.

MAGAZINE SUBSCRIPTIONS

Sabonaitis, Ms. Gayle; c/o Perkins
School for the Blind, Watertown, MA
02172 (Sept. 15 through June 15);
11 Maxwell St., Worcester, MA 01607 (June

15 through Sept. 15). Write: Braille, print. C/P: print. Pay: check, money order. Offers: print English and foreign language editions of the "Reader's Digest", as well as the large print edition.

MAILING SUPPLIES AND ACCESSORIES

Braille-Label Service; c/o Wessian Distributing, P.O. Box 20015, Cleveland, OH 44120; Warren Sladky, owner. Write: all. Pay: all. Offers: typewriter ribbons at discount.

Dialogue Publications; 3100 Oak Park Ave., Berwyn, IL 60402. Write: all. C/P: each issue of "Dialogue". Pay: all. Offers: rubber stamps -- name and address, and "FREE MATTER FOR THE BLIND".

DiMarzio, Albert & Ruth; 246 Dale Ave., Mansfield, OH 44903. Write: Braille, print. C/P: Braille. Pay: all. Offers: envelopes for Braille letters.

Fribush, Mr. Harry A.; Parkview Apts. 104, 400 Hudson Ave., Albany, NY 12203. Write: all. C/P: Braille. Pay: all. Offers: envelopes for print and Braille letters; Braille paper.

Lawhorn, Ms. Geraldine; Apt. 1403,
Theodore K. Lawless Gardens, 3510 S.
Rhodes Ave., Chicago, IL 60653. Write:
Braille only. Pay: all. Offers:
Braille and print envelopes.

Vaughn, Mrs. Diane; 1105 Sterling
St., Indianapolis, IN 46201. Write: all.
C/P: print 30¢. Pay: all. Offers:
business or personalized stationery
and envelopes.

ALSO SEE "LABELS" IN THIS INDEX.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Flowers Piano Co.; 505 15th St.,
Tuscaloosa, AL 35401; Cedric Flowers,
owner. * Write: all. Pay: all and
credit cards. Offers: pianos -- acoustic
and electronic; small instruments;
music accessories; special discounts.

PERSONAL GROOMING AND COSMETIC AIDS

SEE "GIFTS" IN THIS INDEX, ENTRIES FOR
BUCHER, UNGER, AND WILLIAMS, FOR DEALERS.

PROFESSIONAL SUPPLIES

Michigan Notary Service; 19971
Dresden Ave., Detroit, MI 48205;
Robert D. Mahoney, owner. Write: Braille,
print. C/P: Braille, print. Pay: all.
Offers: notary supplies -- bonds, rubber
stamps, seals, etc.

RECORDERS AND RECORD PLAYERS

Home Service Enterprise; P.O. Box
19, Santa Maria, CA 93454; Ms. Jean
Johnson, mgr. Write: all. C/P: C-60
cassette \$1.00. Pay: all. Offers:
battery-A.C. cassette recorders.

S.F.B. Products; 221 Rock Hill Rd.,
Bala-Cynwyd, PA 19004; Thomas Benham,
director. Write: all. C/P: print,
Aud-A-Log record. Pay: all. Offers:
specially adapted commercial phonographs
for playing all speeds of Talking Book
Records; commercial cassette tape
recorders; adapted open-reel tape
players.

Sutherland, Mrs. H.D.; 24591 Sunny-
mead Blvd., Sunnymead, CA 92388. Write:
all. C/P: Braille, C-10 cassette 35¢.
Pay: all. Offers: cassette tape recorders.

RECORDS AND RECORDING SERVICES

Golden Music Room; 3218 23rd St., Columbus, NE 68601; Ms. Penny Golden, owner. Write: all. C/P: C-60 cassette, \$1.00. Pay: all. Offers: extensive Christian music on records, 8-track, and cassettes from many sources.

Sound Productions; 6687 Fiesta Lane, Fort Myers, FL 33901; Mr. Tandy Way, owner. Write: all. C/P: print. Pay: all. Offers: cassette and 8-track pre-recorded music -- from stock and/or custom produced; tapes made from your tapes or records.

REPAIR SERVICES

Brailers

Goetze, Mr. William E.; 5148 Brynhurst Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90043. *
Write: all. C/P: quotation upon request.
Pay: all. Offers: repair of most types.

Recorders and their Accessories

Fleming Electronics; 1327 Prairie Rd., Colorado Springs, CO 80909; Eugene Fleming, owner. Write: all. C/P: quotations upon request. Pay: all. Offers: microphone repair.

Home Service Enterprise; P.O. Box 19, Santa Maria, CA 93454; Ms. Jean Johnson, mgr. Write: All. Pay: all. Offers: repair all types of recorders--flat charge.

SECURITIES, STOCKS, AND BONDS

Westpheling, Mr. Charles P.; 3136 Westcliff Rd. West; Fort Worth, TX 76109. Write: all. Pay: all. Offers: securities bought and sold on a broker and/or agency basis, also mutual funds; investment counselling.

TAPING SUPPLIES AND ACCESSORIES

Dialogue Publications; 3100 Oak Park Ave., Berwyn, IL 60402. Write: all. C/P: each issue of "Dialogue". Pay: all. Offers: open-reel and cassette tape mailing boxes and labels.

Home Service Enterprise; P.O. Box 19, Santa Maria, CA 93454; Ms. Jean Johnson, mgr. Write: all. C/P: C-60 cassette \$1.00. Pay: all. Offers: battery-A.C. cassette recorders; cables/connectors; audio and taping accessories.

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Ries, Mr. Meryl; 1331 E. Buena
Ventura, Colorado Springs, CO 80909.
Write: all. C/P: Braille, print, tape.
Sample: C-60 cassette \$1.00. Pay: all.
Offers: cassette tapes; reel and cassette
mailing cartons.

Sutherland, Mrs. H.D.; 24591 Sunny-
mead Blvd., Sunnymead, CA 92388. Write:
all. C/P: Braille, C-10 cassette 35¢.
Pay: all. Offers: cassette tapes and
containers.

Wessian Distributing; P.O. Box
20015, Cleveland, OH 44120; Warren
Sladky, owner. Write: all. C/P:
C-60 cassette \$1.25. Pay: all.
Offers: reel and cassette tape,
taping and phono supplies and acces-
sories, cables/connectors, batteries.
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